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House Resolution 1498

By: Representatives Dickson of the 6th and Williams of the 4th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending Amanda Jones; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Amanda Jones is widely recognized throughout this state as the personification
- 3 of excellence in education; and
- 4 WHEREAS, this highly respected professional educator has served with honor and
- 5 distinction as an advance placement environmental science teacher at Southeast Whitfield
- 6 High School and has been selected by the Georgia Science Teachers Association as the 2008
- 7 Science Teacher of Promise for the high school level; and
- 8 WHEREAS, she believes that her continuing role as a teacher is to act as an instrument of
- 9 inspiration and enthusiasm to her pupils and to create a positive learning environment
- 10 through innovative teaching practices; and
- 11 WHEREAS, Ms. Jones obtained her master's degree from Cambridge University in
- 12 Massachusetts and has been teaching for three years, as she is in her second year of teaching
- 13 at Southeast Whitfield High School; and
- 14 WHEREAS, through dedication and professionalism, she has brought honor to herself, her
- 15 family, her colleagues, and the Whitfield County School System, which she represents as the
- 16 2008 Science Teacher of Promise; and
- 17 WHEREAS, she is a shining example of the important impact that the efforts of individual
- 18 education professionals are making on the quality of education received by the students of
- 19 this state, and it is abundantly fitting and proper that her superlative accomplishments be
- 20 recognized appropriately.
- 21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 22 the members of this body heartily and gratefully commend Amanda Jones for her sacrifice,

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1 foresight, accomplishment, and contributions on behalf of education in Georgia; thank her

- 2 for the positive influence she has had upon the lives and futures of countless people in this
- 3 state; and extend to her their most sincere best wishes for health and happiness in the future.
- 4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the House of Representatives is authorized and directed
- 5 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Amanda Jones.